2019 Future Law Enforcement Youth Academy Application FBI Milwaukee

FLEYA

Completed application must be submitted to: MW-OPA@FBI.GOV

I. Future Law Enforcement Youth Academy (FLEYA) Eligibility Criteria

Please check the boxes below to indicate that the student applicant meets each of the eligibility requirements.

Student is a United States citizen residing in the state of Wisconsin.

Student is currently enrolled in an accredited high school. If home schooled, the student is recognized by their school district. (Students graduating from an accredited high school in the spring of 2019 are NOT eligible to apply)

Student must be 15 to 18 years old at the time of the FLEYA, which will begin on July 8, 2019 and will end on July 12, 2019. The FLEYA will be held at Marquette University.

Student has a minimum GPA of 2.7.

Student must fully complete "personal goal" questions and one essay (see sections VII and VIII).

Student understands they must be present each day of the FLEYA program. No absences during FLEYA.

Student's parent or guardian has reviewed application and signed the media consent/release.

II. Applicant Information				
Name (Last, First, Middle):	Current Age Grade in School:			
Phone #:	Wisconsin County of Residence: Email Address:			
Permanent Home Address (Street):	Permanent Home Address (City, State, ZIP):			
Citizenship (Country):	Acquired by:			
	Birth			
	Naturalization			
Place of Birth	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Gender: Male		
		Female		

III. Emergency Contact Information Name of Person(s) to Contact in an Emergency: Relationship to Applicant: Cell Phone #: Email Address: **IV. School Information** Name of School: **School Guidance Counselor Contact:** School Mailing Address (Street): School Mailing Address (City, State, ZIP): School Phone #: Current GPA: V. Language Skills Foreign Language Spoken?: If Yes, List Languages Below: O Yes No 1.) Provide Language Below: □ Read Proficiency Fluent Ability to: (Check all that apply) ☐ Write O Intermediate Speak O Beginner 2.) Provide Language Below: ☐ Read Proficiency Fluent Ability to: (Check all that apply) O Intermediate ☐ Speak

O Beginner

IV. Extracurricular Activities					

1) Please list any organizations, clubs, associations, teams, or community groups of which you are a member:
2) Please list any special skills or certifications you have (e.g., CPR, sign language, etc.)
VII. Personal Goal Questions Please briefly answer the following questions:
1. What are your personal and professional goals?
2. What makes you a unique candidate for FLEYA?

VIII Personal Essay

Please limit your response to this essay to no more than 500 words.

Describe a situation where you have exhibited one or more of the FBI's core values, which include:

- Rigorous obedience to the Constitution of the United States
- Respect for the dignity of all those we protect
- Compassion
- Fairness
- Uncompromising personal and institutional integrity
- Accountability by accepting responsibility for our actions and decisions and their consequences
- Leadership, by example, both personal and professional

Be sure to include in your essay how this experience has impacted your outlook on life or how it has shaped your future.

IX. Applicant Authorization

I hereby apply for admission to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Future Law Enforcement Youth Academy program hosted by the FBI Milwaukee Field Office and Marquette University Police Department. I fully understand that the omission or falsification of information on my application or essay will be sufficient reason for dismissal of this application. I understand that by submitting my application, a limited background check will be completed by the FBI. If selected, I understand that failure to comply with all rules and regulations of the FBI will result in immediate dismissal from the program. I certify that the information in my application materials is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, I certify that my parent/guardian is aware and has approved of my application to this program.

Applicant's Name Printed:

Parent/Guardian's Name Printed:

IX. Media Consent/Release

If you are selected for this program, during your participation in Future Law Enforcement Youth Academy, a photographer may photograph the event or activity. By signing this consent/release form, you agree that your image or name appearing in any such photograph may be used by the FBI and the Community Outreach Program for public affairs purposes.

I agree to release and authorize any photographs, video images or printed materials, as described above, to be used in FBI media print or online communications, including, but not limited to, FBI.gov, Facebook, Twitter and all other related publications.

Participant's Printed Name

Participant's Parent/Guardian Signature

Date Signed

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FLEYA - Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Is the program only for high school students?

A. Yes, the program has been designed for high school freshmen/sophomores/juniors to ensure that they have at least one year remaining in their academic career at the school. This enables students to share the information they have learned and serve as peer mentors, when appropriate.

Q. Is the essay important?

A. Yes, the essay is important, as it is often the first element of the application package that is reviewed by our panelists. The essay will allow an opportunity for the student to highlight their understanding of current event issues and leadership. In other words, a high GPA in absence of a well-written essay and vice versa can be problematic.

Q. Does a student have to have specific experience or interest in law enforcement to be a successful candidate?

A. No, a student does not need to be in a criminal justice program, explorers program, ROTC, etc. The primary objective is to identify students who are capable of leadership and have an interest in law enforcement.

Q. Is this experience similar to an internship?

A. The FBI Milwaukee FLEYA is not an internship, and while students may be offered case studies drawn from adjudicated cases, students will not be exposed to active cases or day-to-day investigations.

Q. Is there any charge for the FLEYA program?

A. No, FLEYA is free of charge to those accepted into the program. Students will be housed in dorms on the Marquette University Campus. Students will be asked to provide khaki-color pants and black shoes as part of the uniform.

Q. Can an accepted student into the program leave campus to work or attend school sporting events?

A. No, once a student is part of the accepted FLEYA class, they are to remain on campus, under supervision of program chaperones, for the duration of the weeklong program. Additionally, students are not permitted to have visitors during the week.

Q.Is the application essay required?

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Q. Can I fax my completed application?

A. Yes. While email submission is the preferred method, applications can be faxed to 414-489-3400 ATTN: FLEYA

- Essay must be typed with proper punctuation and capitalization.
- Essay must be typed in the space allotted in the application. If you are unable to do so, essay may be submitted as an attachment. Please include your name on each page of the attachment.
- Attachment must be in Word or PDF format; NO Google Docs or password required programs.

For further information, please see the FLEYA 2019 press release.